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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the lateſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *Auguſt* 27, 1761.

LONDON, *June* 16.

LAST Saturday came on, at Weſtminſter Hall, a very remarkable Trial between a young Gentleman, Son to a certain great Nobleman, and a young Lady. The Action was brought for a Thouſand Guineas, which the Gentleman had agreed to pay the Lady, or marry her, if ſhe would grant him a Favour. The proper Securities being taken, and the tempting Fair one then complying, my Lord found himſelf, the next Day, ſo perfectly ſatisfied, that he could neither think any more of Marriage, or entertain the leaſt Thoughts of parting with his Money. Several Meſſages having paſſed in Conſequence of this Breach of the Contract; the Lady at laſt determined to proſecute her Right in due Form of Law. Accordingly a Jury being impannelled, ſeveral Witneſſes examined, and the Writing produced, it was decided *Nem. con.* that though the young Peer had made a fooliſh Sort of a Bargain, yet, in Conſideration of his having had Value received, he was bound by the Laws and his own Hand-Writing, to make good the promiſed Sum; with ſome Douceurs beſides, by Way of Recompence to the Lady, for having been obliged to lay her Cauſe before the Public.

On Monday the great Wager between Jenniſon Shaftoe, Eſq; and —— Meynel, Eſq; about one Woodcock's riding 2900 Miles in 29 Days, ended at New-market, which was won by Mr. Shaftoe by ſeveral Hours.

Mr. Shaftoe is ſaid to have laid a Wager that he rides 200 Miles in Four Hours; he is to ride what Number of Horſes he chooſes.

June 8. The Tranſit of Venus was on Saturday obſerved by many curious Gentlemen, with ſuitable Apparatuſſes, and by comparing Notes, it appears, that it differed very little from Dr. Halley's Computation; which ſhews the great Perfection to which aſtronomical Obſervations have arrived, and from thence what greater Uſefulneſs may be expected; ſince it appears from the Obſervations, that at two Places, viz. one at the Eaſt, the other at the Weſt of London, the Time of the abſolute Emerſion was at one of them thirty-five Minutes three Seconds after Eight, and the other thirty-five Minutes ſeven Seconds after Eight.

They write from France, that under the Apprehenſions of a Siege at Port l'Orient the Magazine and Effects of the India Company were removing from that Place.

By a Liſt given in laſt Week, it appears that the Militia of this Kingdom already embodied, are 25,000, equal to Veterans.——An Army more than ſufficient to defeat any Deſigns the Enemy may attempt againſt this Country.

The four following French Turkeymen have been taken and ſent into Leghorn by an Engliſh Man of War, viz. the Ships of Joſeph Fonnier, John Joſeph Chabroi, and Joſeph Touraine, from St. John d'Acre for Marſeilles; and the Joſeph, Champion Maſter, from Marſeilles, bound for Alexandria, being all very richly laden.

Fifty Tranſports, with Engliſh Troops on board, arrived the 21ſt ult. in the Mouth of the Weſer, from England.

Some Men of War and Tranſports are to ſail the latter End of this Month for Quebec, with Troops and Stores.

There is no News from the Eaſt-Indies that can be depended upon; the India Company have had freſher Advices than what came by the laſt Ships; but it is ſuppoſed that Pondicherry was taken in January laſt.

Extract of a Letter from an Officer in Col. Morris's Regiment, dated at the Camp before Pondicherry, Oct. 17, 1760.

"We arrived in India after the fineſt and moſt pleaſant Paſſage ever known, and happily compleated in the Space of four Months and ſeven Days; and tho' we called in at no Place of Refreſhment by the Way, we loſt not one Soldier of the whole 500 till we landed, which was the 4th of September. We lay at Cudalore one Day to reſt ourſelves, and the next marched 21 Miles to Camp, and having pitched our Tents, entered on our Duty with uncommon Alacrity. Nor had we Time to look about us, till we had an Opportunity of recommending ourſelves to our Superiors. For, on the third Night after our Arrival, the whole Army marched to attack a very ſtrong Poſt the French had, a Mile from Pondicherry, in a thick Wood, lined with Cannon, which we entered at different Places, and attacked their ſtrongeſt Battery, conſiſting of ſeven 18 Pounders. (They had ſeveral ſmaller Batteries, which kept an inceſſant Fire on us with Grape Shot, while we could not give them a Return.) When we came near, and had a full View of them, we made them ample Amends, by a full Diſcharge of our Pieces. Theſe we inſtantly threw down, off with our Bonnets, out with our Swords, gave them three Huzzas, ruſhed in full Speed to the Muzzles of their Guns, which they left us in Poſſeſſion of, by a precipitate Retreat into their Capital. Thus we got 17 Pieces of Cannon, tho' not without ſome ſmall Loſs on our Side, and no wonder, for the loaded Guns we ſeized, were filled almoſt to the Mouth with ſquare Bars of Iron ſix Inches long, leſſer Pieces of jagged Iron, &c. In ſhort, they have abandoned all their Redoubts, and every Out-Poſt belonging to them, and are all now retired within the Walls of Pondicherry; but as to our further Succeſs I cannot ſay, as the Monſoons ſoon ſet in, which may diſconcert our Meaſures. I had almoſt forgot to tell you, that there is not one Officer wounded but myſelf, and that ſo ſlightly that I am quite recovered; and am, &c.

The Names of the Forts taken are, Carrical, a regular Fortification, with a Garriſon, Chillimbrum and Vandachtlum, with a fortified Redoubt at each Angle.

They write from the Banks of the Oder, that the Ruſſian Army had put itſelf in Motion in three Columns; the firſt is commanded by Field-marſhal Butterlin, whoſe Vanguard is led by General Czernichef. It is ſaid that this Corps will act againſt Sileſia. The ſecond Diviſion is commanded by General Fermor, and is ſaid to be deſtined for a private Expedition. The third Diviſion, commanded by General Romanzof, will direct its Operations againſt Pomerania. Time will ſhew whether theſe Diſpoſitions will take place. Mean while the King of Pruſſia hath detached ſome Thouſand Men to cover the New Marche of Brandenbourg from the Invaſion of the Ruſſians, in caſe they ſhould turn their Arms that Way.

We hear that the Propoſals which M. Buſſy made our Miniſtry on his Arrival, for a Ceſſation of Arms for ſix Months, being unexpectedly rejected, he hath ſent a Courier to his Court for freſh Inſtructions, how to proceed in his Negociation.

They write from Hamburgh, of the ſecond Inſt. that by Letters from Dantzick they had an Account that 36 Ruſſian Tranſports, with Proviſions and warlike Stores, were drove aſhore and wrecked near that Place, in a violent Storm.

Private Letters from Berlin inform us, that the King of Pruſſia, before he ſet out for Sileſia, held a grand Council with the Margrave Charles and his Miniſters. He told them, That, tired out by the preſent deſtructive War, and moved by the Calamities it had brought upon all Parts of Germany, he was abſolutely determined to riſk his All upon this Campaign, that it be the laſt. After this he declared to them his Intentions concerning the Succeſſion to his Crown, and the Manner he would have his Eſtates governed, in caſe he ſhould be cut off by a ſhort Fit of Illneſs, or ſhould fall in Battle.

It is now ſaid that Sir Edward Hawke and Commodore Lord Howe, will moſt certainly ſail with the Expedition Fleet in a few Days, on board which are leſs than 10,000 are to be embarked.

A Camp is ordered to be marked out on Hounſlow Heath.

Orders are given to the Regiments that are to go on the next Expedition, to hold themſelves in Readineſs to embark on the firſt Notice.

Extract of a Letter, dated September 26, 1760, *in Sight of Pondicherry.*

"We have here a Fleet of 15 Sail of the Line, and three Frigates, under the Command of Admiral Stevens, who Blockades this Port by Sea, whilſt the Army Inveſts the Town by Land with 3500 Europeans, and 7000 Seapoys, or Black Soldiers, who are intrenched before the Walls, having taken all the ſtrong Out-poſts of Villa Nova, Aracupong, and, in ſhort, every Thing the French have, excepting one Place up in the Country, and this their Capital, and confined the Enemy cloſe within their Walls.

"It was at the taking of Aracupong that Col. Monſon had his Thigh broke; on which Col. Coote returned to aſſume the Command, being before ordered to Bengal, as Troubles ſtill ſubſiſt in the Kingdom of Bengal, where the Shah Zadar continues to keep a formidable Army, notwithſtanding the ſeveral Repulſes he has met with from the Engliſh.

"The Siege of Pondicherry will ſcarce commence 'til December, on Account of the rainy and ſtormy Weather, which always happens at the Monſoon Seaſon of the Year, now near at Hand, which renders a Camp impracticable, ſo that our Troops will go into Cantonments during the Space of about two Months, into the Out-poſts we have taken.

"When our Operations commence, the Squadron will bombard the Town by Sea, whilſt the Army preſſes it by Land.

"Our Situation in reſpect to the Service of our Fleet is very critical, but Providence has wonderfully aſſiſted us in every reſpect in India, and every Ship deſtined to theſe Parts with Troops is arrived ſafe; nor have we blockaded or beſieged a Place that we have not taken; and had it not been for this kind Interpoſition of Heaven, the French, by being three Times our Number at the Beginning of the War, muſt have over-run the Country; of which Conqueſts they made no manner of Doubt.

"The fortified Boundary, or Chain of Redoubts and Intrenchments which we carried by an Attack at Day-break, on the 10th of September, covered Pondicherry to the Land at about a Mile and a Quarter Diſtance from the Walls. In this Attack we had only forty killed, and about ſeventy wounded; Colonel Monſon's Wound in the Beginning of the Action, it is thought, prevented ſome Advantages, which otherwiſe we might have availed ourſelves of, from the precipitate and confuſed Retreat of the Enemy.

"Our Army will open their Trenches and begin their Operations ſo ſoon as the Monſoons are over; and if the French receive no Reinforcements and Supplies, which they muſt attempt at the utmoſt Riſque, and can get no way but by Sea in a tempeſtuous Seaſon, we do not doubt but the Beſieged will ſurrender, and when it is in our Poſſeſſion, it is preſumed, we ſhall blow up the Works, after the Example they ſet in the Inſtance of Fort St. David's. We likewiſe expect, after the Reduction of this Place, to finiſh with Mauritius. We daily expect the Chatham and Preſton. Our Fleet and Army are in general healthy, and the whole in admirable good Spirits. Captain Richard Hughes, of the Duke of Acquitain, is gone to Madraſs for the Recovery of his Health. It is expected at a Peace, that two or three Ships will be left in India, to keep ſome of the black Princes in Awe, that are inclined to give Diſturbance and attach themſelves to the French.

"In regard to the Boat-Attack, take the following: On the 7th Inſtant, at Two in the Morning, we attacked with our Boats, a King's Frigate and an India Ship, called the Balcine and Hermione, that lay cloſe under the Walls of Pondicherry; the Attack was made with Spirit, and the Ships brought off, notwithſtanding the Oppoſition of the alarmed Ships Crews, as well as a very warm Fire from the Muſquetry and Cannon from the Town, which are very numerous towards the Sea. The above Ships which had been blocked up ſome Time, got into this Port the Beginning of the Year, whilſt our Ships were employed in reducing Carrical, near Negopatam, to the South of Pondicherry; and as the Seaſon was growing very precarious, and the Enemy preparing to ſail off the Coaſt, our Boats were ordered to burn or cut them out, they being ſecured by Cables and Hawſers to the Shore, which made the Enterprize more difficult. When the Garriſon found our Men had boarded the Ships, they paid no regard to their own People, but directed all the Guns they could bring to bear upon the Captures. It is imagined the two Prizes will be commiſſioned for Cruiſers. They are eſteemed valuable, having a great deal of Treaſure on board from the Town. In this Attack, Lieutenant Owen of the Sunderland loſt his right Arm."

Another Letter, dated October 16, ſays, "Admiral Stevens and Corniſh are going in a few Days, off this Coaſt to Tricomally during the Monſoons, which hold to December, and his Majeſty's Ships America, Medway, and Liverpool, are to be left off Pondicherry, to prevent any Supplies being thrown in; which can only be attempted with the greateſt Hazard by ſingle Ships; and we are informed that both Treaſure, Money, and Proviſions, are much wanted in the Iſlands."

Extract of a Letter from Bombay, Nov. 20, 1760.

"*Pondicherry is ſtill blockaded by our Troops, and the Fleet under the Command of Admiral Stevens. Some of our Men of War's Boats have lately picked up two Dutch Boats going into Pondicherry, with upwards of* 20,000 *l. in Caſh, and ſome valuable Stores: It is ſaid the Money came out in a Swediſh Bottom. Two Bomb-Veſſels are now going from hence to join the Fleet, the Place being ſo ſtrongly fortified, that our Ships cannot lie within Gun Shot of the Fort. We have received Intelligence of eight Sail of French Ships being detained at Mauritius, for want of Proviſions; the Seamen being at an Allowance of a Pound of Bread a Day, were very outrageous, and daily plundered the Inhabitants, who were afraid to uſe Force in their own Defence, to prevent Conſequences more dangerous.*"

Mr. Godfrey's Experiment for extinguiſhing Fire, was tried in the Houſe erected for that Purpoſe, by the Society of Arts, &c. in Marybone Fields. The Duke of York, Prince William and Prince Henry, ſeveral Perſons of Diſtinction, and a numerous Crowd attended on this Occaſion. The Houſe, which is of Brick, conſiſts of three Rooms, one above another, a Staircaſe, Chimney, Lath and Plaiſter Cielings, and a Kind of Wainſcotting round the Rooms, of rough Deal. At 12 o'Clock the Ground Room, and that up one Pair of Stairs, were ſet on Fire by lighting Faggots and Shavings laid there for that Purpoſe. In about fifteen Minutes three of the Machines were thrown into the under Room (the Wainſcot of which was then in Flames) which by their Exploſion ſoon extinguiſhed the Fire, and even the Smoke ſoon diſappeared. The like Experiment was next tried with the ſame Succeſs on the middle Room, the Staircaſe by that Time having taken Fire. And laſtly, to remove all Doubt (the Populace beginning to be diſſatisfied, and talking of a ſecond Bottle Conjurer) Mr. Godfrey conſented to a third Experiment in the upper Room, which was entirely of Wood. The Flames were now ſuffered to get to a conſiderable Height, and even the Window Frames deſtroyed before the Machines were thrown in, which, however, anſwered as before. One Hundred and Forty of the Foot Guards attended on this Occaſion.

FRANCE.

BLOIS, *April* 11. THERE happened a very whimſical Affair on the 2d Inſtant at Touloufe. Four Savoyard Chimney-Sweepers having finiſhed every Thing in the Way of their Profeſſion, and not having a Penny left to provide either Victuals or Drink, took a Reſolution to liſt, which they executed about ſix in the Evening. The Captain gave them two Louis d'Ors a Man, but thought it neceſſary, by way of Precaution, to lock them into an empty Kitchen, with ſeveral Flaggons of Wine. As long as the Liquor laſted they were quiet enough, but as ſoon at it was exhauſted, they began to think of making their Eſcape. They were not long in ſettling that Point; there was a large Chimney before them, which they mounted with their uſual Dexterity, and being fairly got to the Top of the Houſe, they there held a Council of War, in which it was unanimouſly reſolved to go down another Chimney. The firſt tumbled into a great Fire, out of which he jumped, covered with Soot and Duſt, into the midſt of the Floor, and was immediately followed by his three Companions. The Place happened to be a Gaming Houſe, and the Opera-

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tors at the great Table in the midſt of the Apartment, taking theſe Adventurers for ſo many Devils ſtarting out of the Fire, ran down Stairs as faſt as they could, and left their Money, to the Amount of Twelve Hundred Livres, behind them. This the Savoyards ſeized, and in an Inſtant remounted the Chimney, and running over the Top of the Houſe, deſcended again into their old Apartment, juſt as the Officer opened the Door to bring them ſome Proviſions: They offered him his Money again, with a reaſonable Profit, which was at laſt fixed for 25 Louis d'Ors for their Diſcharge. The Fellows are now here, and are very quietly returned to their old Occupation. [*This was a deviliſh comical Affair.*]

ST. JOHN's (in Antigua) June 17.

The Snow La Fortune, from the Grenades to Marſeilles, laden with Sugar and Coffee, has been taken by a New-York Privateer.

June 24. Capt. Turner, late Maſter of a Lumber loaded Brig from Piſcataqua, arrived here a few Days ago in a Boat his Captors gave him to Windward of the Iſland. Captain Beech, in a large Ship from the ſame Place, is now aſhore on the Diamond; but it is hoped the Ship will not be loſt.

We hear the Governor of Martinico has refuſed to exchange the Soldiers taken in the Tranſport from New-York; though he has at laſt ſet at Liberty the Officer and People belonging to the Temple Man of War, who have been detained a long Time.

July 1. On Sunday laſt arrived here a very large Sugar loaded Ship from Martinico bound to France, but taken by the Repulſe Frigate; who has alſo taken a Snow bound on the ſame Voyage, and ſent her to Guadaloupe; and Capt. Williams, of his Majeſty's Sloop Guadaloupe, has taken a Ship bound from Martinico to St. Euſtatius, and ſent her to St. Kitts.

July 15. A Sloop bound from Martinico to St. Euſtatius with Sugar, &c. taken by his Majeſty's Sloop Virgin, arrived here laſt Thurſday.

From Sancta Croix we hear that Capt. Hanſon, of the Brig Mars, has taken a French Privateer of 8 Guns.

July 22. His Majeſty's Sloop Antigua, William Nott, Eſq; Commander, arrived at Engliſh Harbour the 14th Inſt. from a ſhort Cruiſe, in which ſhe has retaken a Sloop of and for this Place from Guadaloupe, and a Brigantine from Piſcataqua, called the Honeſt-heart; and has alſo taken, after a ſhort Reſiſtance, L'Amiable Marie, a French Privateer of 12 Carriage Guns (ſix Pounders) 14 Swivels, and 52 Men, 12 of which were Negroes, bound from Coracoa to Martinico, with Wine, Bale Goods, Flour, &c. and commanded by Capt. Brun. Three Men were badly wounded in the Privateer, but on our Side not one was hurt.—The Antigua has been hove down and cleaned, and ſailed again the 6th Day after her Arrival.

A French Privateer Schooner of 8 Carriage and 14 Swivel Guns, and a Sugar loaded Sloop from Martinico (both taken by Capt. Laforey, of his Majeſty's Ship Levant) arrived here laſt Wedneſday.

BASSETERRE *(in St. Chriſtophers) June* 24.

Upon the 15th Inſt. arrived in the Road of Baſſeterre, a Ship bound to St. Euſtatius from Martinico, taken by his Majeſty's Sloop Guadaloupe, Roger Williams, Eſq; Commander.

And on Monday, the 22d, the Tyrrel private Sloop of War, Capt. Scull, alſo brought in the Sloop L'Eſperance, Jean Baptiſte Alliſon Maſter, laden with Melaſſes, Rum and Sugar, and bound from Martinico to St. Euſtatius.

June 27. Yeſterday was brought into the Road of Baſſeterre by Capt. Reed, the Sloop Swallow, laden with Proviſions, and bound from St. Euſtatius to Martinico.

July 1. The following Prizes have been brought into the Road of Baſſeterre ſince Saturday laſt, viz. a Brigantine from Piſcataqua, laden with Lumber, retaken by his Majeſty's Ship Raiſonable's Tender.

A Brigantine in Ballaſt from Martinico, taken by ditto.

A Schooner from St. Vincent, with Tobacco and Coffee, taken by his Majeſty's Ship Dublin's Tender.

A Schooner from St. Vincent, with Coffee and Tobacco, taken by the Privateer Sloop Lightning of Barbados.

July 4. Upon the 2d Inſtant arrived in the Road of Baſſeterre a French Polacre Letter of Marque, laden with Sugar, Coffee, Cocoa and Caſſia, bound to Marſeilles from Martinico, and taken by his Majeſty's Ship Dublin's Tender, commanded by Mr. William Low.

Yeſterday arrived in the Road, a Ship in Ballaſt, bound to St. Euſtatius from Martinico, and taken by the abovementioned Tender.

July 11. *On Thurſday laſt, the 9th Inſtant, arrived in the Road of Baſſeterre, the Schooner L'Eſperance, laden with Proviſions, bound from St. Euſtatius to Martinico, and taken by his Majeſty's Ship Echo, John Briſtoane, Eſq; Commander.*

July 18. *Upon the 14th Inſt. arrived in the Road of Baſſeterre a Schooner loaded with Cotton, bound to St. Euſtatius from the French Iſlands, and taken by the Dublin's Tender Experiment, commanded by Mr. William Low.*

And on Thurſday the 16th was brought into the Road by Capt. Reed, the Sloop John and Peter, bound from Martinico to St. Euſtatius.

BOSTON, *Auguſt* 10.

By a Letter from Rocky-Point, in Cape Fear, North-Carolina, dated the 26th of May, we are informed, that they have had the greateſt Rains ever known in thoſe Parts. Veſſels of 120 and 200 Tons, loaded, might have ſailed over the Fields; many Perſons were obliged to ſwim their Horſes to return to their Dwellings, and in great Danger of being drowned.—The People at Wilmington were obliged (many of them) to quit their Houſes by Reaſon that the Water flowed therein ſeveral Feet high: —Great Damage has been ſuſtained by this Deluge:—The Rain continued 40 Days, in which Time the Sun was not ſeen.

By a Veſſel arrived at Marblehead, from the Weſt Indies, we have Advice, that Capt. Philip Lewis, of this Place, Capt. Hathorn of Salem, and Capt. Foſter of Cape-Ann; all bound to the Weſt-Indies, were lately taken by the Enemy, and carried into Martinico.

NEW-YORK, *Auguſt* 17.

On Wedneſday the 26th of April was tried at Guildhall, London, before Lord Mansfield, Chief Juſtice, the Cauſe ſo long depending between Samuel Blackden of Halifax, in Nova Scotia, Plaintiff, and Capt. Gambier, of his Majeſty's Ship Burford, Defendant. The Action was brought for Damages the Plaintiff ſuſtained in Nova Scotia, by the Defendant's taking him by Violence from his Freehold there, burning his Houſe, and detaining the Plaintiff unjuſtly on board the Burford 125 Days; when after a hearing of three Hours, a ſpecial Jury of Merchants gave the Plaintiff Eight Hundred Pounds Damages, and Coſts of Suit. (This Verdict muſt give great Satisfaction to all his Majeſty's Subjects in America, and increaſe their Eſteem and Affection for their Mother Country, whoſe excellent Laws will not ſuffer any Injury to the Subject in the moſt remote Part of the Britiſh Dominions, to paſs with Impunity; and convince all military Officers, that they are accountable, at home, for every arbitrary Act of Power, even in the moſt diſtant Parts of his Majeſty's Dominions.)

Laſt Week his Honour the Lieutenant Governor was pleaſed to give Mr. Douglaſs Permiſſion to build a Theatre, to perform in this City the enſuing Winter.

We hear his Excellency General Amherſt is expected in a few Days from Albany.

We hear from Albany, that 3 Negroes are in Goal there, for being concern'd (with 10 more, who are not yet taken) in ſetting Fire to the Town of Schenectady; another Negro there, has lately murder'd his Miſtreſs, but is not yet taken.

ANNAPOLIS, *Auguſt* 27.

Saturday Evening laſt, the Houſe of *Michael Jeſſerang* of *Frederick-Town*, was robb'd of a Box about Two Feet long, which lay under his Bed, wherein was his Books, Papers, and Money. The Box was afterwards found broke to Pieces in a Corn Field, with the Books and Papers, but the Money was gone. The Thief got in at the Window.

At *Calvert* County Court laſt Week, the Three Negroes mentioned ſome Time ago, were again Tried and Condemned for Poiſoning Mrs. *Smith*.

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RAN away from the Subſcriber at *Bladenſburg*, on the 19th of *Auguſt*, 1761, a Convict Servant Man named *Bartholomew Savage*, he is a Carpenter by Trade, and underſtands Ship Work; he was born in *Ireland*, which may be known by his Speech; he is well-ſet, and of a middle Size, a ſallow Complexion, and pitted with the Small-Pox, has ſhort black Hair, but wears ſometimes a Cut Grizzle Wig, he has loſt Three Fingers off his Left or Right Hand, and juſt above his Wriſt he is marked with Indian Ink, and I believe it's the firſt Letters of his Name. His Dreſs is not known, as he has Variety of it; but it's thought he has a blue Cloth Coat, and Sailor's Jacket. He will, I imagine, paſs for a Sailor, and get on board ſome of the Ships who may be in Want of Hands. Whoever ſecures him, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Ten Pounds Reward, paid by

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COACH and CHAISE-MAKER, at the Town-Gate in ANNAPOLIS,

HAVING ſupplied himſelf with the Beſt of Materials, makes all Sorts of Chaiſes, Chairs, Curricles, and Kittereens, after the neweſt Faſhion. Gentlemen who ſhall be pleaſed to favour him with their Cuſtom, may depend on being well uſed.

N. B. He will give the Beſt of Wages to a Wheel-wright.

1765.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Diſpatch, *Capt.* Taylor, *from* MADEIRA *and* BARBADOS,

A PARCEL of the beſt *Madeira* WINES, *Barbados* RUM, SUGAR and LIMES, to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Stores on *Patuxent* and *Patowmack*; where may alſo be had, great Variety of *European* and *India* GOODS, imported in the laſt Ships from *London*. Wholeſale or Retail, for Bills, Caſh, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, and other Country Produce.

STEPHEN WEST.

I SOMETIME ago mentioned my Intention of ſtriking a Parcel of ſmall Notes, from SIX PENCE to HALF A CROWN each, to ſerve as ſmall Money in Exchange, for my own Convenience and that of my Neighbours, provided no better Scheme was concluded on by the Gentlemen in Buſineſs; and as the Want of ſuch ſmall Money is notorious, I have therefore ventured to Print a Number of ſuch Notes, payable in Silver, at the Rate of Seven Shillings and Six Pence *per* Dollar, according to the following Specimen of each Bill, any of which ſhall be paid off in Silver on Demand, and the whole Notes called in, in leſs than 3 Years from the Date. All thoſe who happen to be poſſeſſed of a Dollar's worth of theſe Notes, may have them exchanged for Dollars, by Mr. *Robert Couden*, and Mr. *Nathan Hammond*, junior, of *Annapolis*, Merchants.——By my Store-Keepers, Mr. *John Duvall* at *Queen-Anne*, Mr. *Samuel Lane* at *Pig-Point*, Mr. *George Hardey* at *Piſcataway*, Mr. *Thomas Magruder* at *George-Town*, or at my own Houſe in *Upper-Marlborough*. If either the Legiſlature, or any Society of Gentlemen, can or will contrive a ſufficient Quantity of ſmall Money that will more effectually anſwer the Purpoſe, I will inſtantly call in all mine.

STEPHEN WEST.

SIX-PENCE.

I STEPHEN WEST, of *Upper-Marlborough* in the Province of *Maryland*, Merchant, do, by this INDENTED *Printed* BILL, *No.* Promiſe and Oblige myſelf, my Heirs, Executors, and Adminiſtrators, to pay the Bearer, *upon Demand*, in good *SILVER COIN*, the Sum of SIX-PENCE, at the Rate of Seven Shillings and Six-Pence *per* Spaniſh Dollar, for Value received. Witneſs my Hand, this 23*d* Day of *June*, 1761.

Witneſs.
Jonas Green,
Wm. Rind.

ONE SHILLING.

I *Stephen Weſt*, of *Upper-Marlborough* in the Province of *MARYLAND*, Merchant, do, by this INDENTED Printed BILL, N°. Promiſe and Oblige myſelf, my Heirs, Executors, and Adminiſtrators, to pay the Bearer, UPON DEMAND, in good *Silver Coin*, the Sum of

ONE SHILLING,

at the Rate of *Seven Shillings & Six-pence* per *Spaniſh* Dollar, for Value received. WITNESS my Hand, this 23*d* DAY of *JUNE*, 1761.

Witneſs.
Jonas Green,
William Rind.

Eighteen-Pence.

I *Stephen Weſt*, of *Upper-Marlborough* in the Province of MARYLAND, Merchant, do, by this *INDENTED Printed Bill*, N°. Promiſe & Oblige myſelf, my Heirs, Executors, and Adminiſtrators, to pay the Bearer, *upon Demand*, in good Silver Coin, the Sum of

ONE SHILLING *and* SIX-PENCE,

at the Rate of Seven Shillings and Six-pence *per Spaniſh* Dollar, for Value received. WITNESS my Hand, this 23*d* Day of *June*, 1761.

WITNESS.
JONAS GREEN,
WM. RIND.

TWO SHILLINGS.

I Stephen Weſt, *of* Upper-Marlborough *in the Province of* MARYLAND, *Merchant, DO, by this* Indented Printed BILL, N°. *Promiſe and Oblige myſelf, my Heirs, Executors, and Adminiſtrators, to PAY the Bearer*, upon Demand, *in good* SILVER COIN, *the Sum of* TWO SHILLINGS, *at the Rate of Seven Shillings and Six-Pence*, per Spaniſh *Dollar, for VALUE Received. Witneſs my Hand, this* 23*d Day of* JUNE, 1761.

WITNESS.
JONAS GREEN,
WILLIAM RIND.

HALF a CROWN.

I *STEPHEN WEST*, of *Upper-Marlborough* in the Province of MARYLAND, Merchant, do, by this *Indented Printed Bill*, N°. Promiſe and Oblige myſelf, my Heirs, Executors, and Adminiſtrators, to pay the Bearer, *upon Demand*, in good SILVER COIN, the Sum of *TWO SHILLINGS AND SIX PENCE*, at the rate of *Seven ſhillings and ſix pence* per *Spaniſh* Dollar, for value received. Witneſs my Hand, this 23*d* Day of *June*, 1761.

WITNESS.
JONAS GREEN,
WILLIAM RIND.

FOUND a few Days ago, about a Mile from Town, a SILVER WATCH. The Owner, describing the Marks, and paying Charges, may have it by applying at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

RAN away from the Subscriber of *Frederick* County *(Virginia)* a middle-siz'd Negro Fellow, a little pitted with the Small-Pox, somewhat of the Tawny Complexion, was Imported in 1760, so that he scarcely speaks any *English*, but can work at the Smith's Trade, having been employed in his own Country in that Way. He eloped the 3d of *April* last with a Wench, that was afterwards taken from him at the *Sugar-Lands* on the *Virginia* Shore, and it's thought he got over into *Maryland*. Any Person that secures him in a Goal, so that I get him, shall have Forty Shillings, or if brought home, Four Pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by

MICHAEL PYKE.

A. Lyne

August 24, 1761.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, living near *Bladensburg* in *Frederick* County, a Convict Servant Man named *Patrick Donald*, about 22 or 23 Years of Age, a thick well-set Fellow, of a pale Complexion, with Hair of a yellowish Colour, which he usually ties behind. His Cloathing is an old brown Fustian Coat mended under the Arms, with a Cape and Metal Buttons, a Fustian Jacket pieced in the Back with Osnabrigs, an old Pair of brown Cloth Breeches, blue Worsted Stockings, a Pair of yellow Metal Buckles, two Check Shirts, one broad striped, the other narrow, and an old fine Hat dusted with Flour, as his Business has been always in a Mill; all which he may change. He is supposed to be in Company with a lusty elderly Man, who usually wears a brown colour'd Coat with a large Cape.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, shall have Two Pistoles Reward, if taken in this Province; and if out of it, Four Pistoles, with all reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

SAMUEL BEALL, junior.

TAKEN up a-drift, Bottom upwards, below the Mouth of *Magothy* River some Weeks ago, by *William Allen*, A Nine-Hogshead FLAT, appears to be about two or three Years old, her two Gunwales and Upper Streaks of Plank, and her Stern stove out, and several of her Timbers broke, both Bows burst off from the Stern.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *James Williams*, junior, near the *Nine Bridges*, in *Talley*'s Neck, *Queen-Anne*'s County, taken up as an Stray, a Sorrel Horse with a Blaze Face, 13 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock with S, paces a small Travel, but trots most frequently, and is about 8 Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Lyon*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 12 Hands high, with some white Hairs in her Forehead; but neither dock'd or branded.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD *at* PUBLIC VENDUE, *on Thursday the Third Day of* September *next, at the Plantation of the late* Edward Dorsey, *Esq; Deceased, at* Elk-Ridge, *known by the Name of* Rigges *Plantation, for ready Money, or short Credit,*

SUNDRY young Mares, Horses and Colts, all of the *Barbary* Breed, also a Stallion of the same Breed, being a noted Horse for begetting handsome fine Colts.

SHIPPED at *London*, on board the *Capel*, Capt. *Wells Waring*, Three Parcels of Goods, viz. a Chest, mark'd I C, N°. I. and, a Chest and a Box, mark'd I R, N°. I. & II. with a Figure of 4 and Crow's Foot between the Letters, for which no Owner can be found.

Any Person proving the Goods to be their Property, may have them, by applying to Mr. *Charles Grahame*, Merchant at *Lower-Marlborough*, or to the Captain on board the said Ship in *Patuxent*.

A NEGRO COOPER, that can make tight Casks, is wanted. For such a one, will be paid Ready Money, or Bills of Exchange, by applying to either of the Printers hereof.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of *William Wilkins*, late of the City of *Annapolis*, Deceased, are desired to make speedy Payment of the same; and those who have any just Demands against the said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts, duly authenticated, and they shall be paid.

The Subscriber, having declined Tavern-keeping, has sundry Materials for carrying on that Business to dispose of, such as, an extraordinary good Billiard-Table, old *Jamaica* Rum, *Barbados* Ditto, *London* Porter, *&c. &c.* She yet proposes to keep a House of Entertainment for private Gentlemen, where those that choose to favour her with their Company, may depend upon good Usage.

DEBORAH WILKINS, Executrix of *William Wilkins*.

2

Leonard-Town, August 17, 1761.

TO be Run for, on Tuesday the 29th Day of *September*, on the usual Race-Ground at *LEONARD-TOWN*, the best in Three Heats, twice round the Ground for each Heat, being about two Miles, A Purse of FORTY POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, that never before won a Purse of Twenty Pounds, or the Value thereof. Horses of 14 Hands to carry 10 Stone, and below that Measure, Weight for Inches, seven Pounds to be allowed for each Inch.

On the Day following will be Run for, on the same Ground and Distance, A Purse of about FIFTEEN POUNDS, by any Colts, not exceeding Four Years old, the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted, each Colt to carry eight Stone.

The Horses to be Entered on the Day before the Race with *Timothy Bowes*; each Horse, for the first Day, to pay Forty Shillings Entrance, (which Entrance Money will be applied towards making up the Purse for the second Day). Ten Shillings to be paid for each Horse Entered for the second Day, which Entrance Money will be given to the Second Best Horse. Those who do not Enter their Horses on the Day appointed, to pay double Entrance.

No Race unless Three Horses Start.

All Differences that may arise will be determined by Messieurs *George Plater*, *Normand Bruce*, and *Thompson Mason*, Managers.

2

WANTED,

A SOBER Industrious Man for an Ostler, and other Business, in a Public House. Such a One will meet with good Encouragement, besides the Vails, which are considerable. Apply to either of the Printers hereof.

2

Annapolis, August 19, 1761.

AS I have not been able for some Years past to furnish Beaver Hats (occasioned by the Scarcity of Beaver) I hereby acquaint my old Customers and Others, That I can now supply them with Beaver, or any other Sort of Hats, as good and as cheap as can be bought any where else, for ready Money, or short Credit.

I can likewise furnish Gold or Silver Lace for Hats. 2 WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

WHEREAS the Subscriber's Store at *Indian-Landing*, was broke open in the Night between the 10th and 11th Instant, and several Things taken out. Whoever apprehends the Thief, shall, on his being convicted of the above Robbery, receive of me a Reward of TEN PISTOLES, and if any of the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, will turn Evidence, so as to convict their Accomplices, they shall be intitled to the same Reward.

3 RALPH FORSTER.

JUST IMPORTED

From LONDON, *in the* FRIENDSHIP, *Captain* RICHARDSON, *and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at* PIG-POINT *on* Patuxent *River, by Wholesale, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco,*

AN Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to Summer and Winter Seasons. 3 ROBERT NORRIS.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subscriber, a large Dark Bay Horse, about Fourteen Hands and a Half high, he has no Brand, or if any, unknown, he paces slow, and goes hard, has been lately trimmed near his Ears, has a short Switch Tail, and hanging Mane, and what is remarkable in his going, he is apt to shift his Feet when Forced in a Pace. Whoever brings the Horse to the Subscriber near *Port-Tobacco*, or to Mr. *Colmore Beanes* at *Nottingham*, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward. THOMAS CONTEE.

5

Fairfax County *(Virginia) August* 11, 1761.

RAN away from a Plantation of the Subscriber's, on *Dogue-Run* in *Fairfax*, on Sunday the 9th Instant, the following Negroes, *viz.*

Peros, 35 or 40 Years of Age, a well-set Fellow, of about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, yellowish Complexion, with a very full round Face, and full black Beard, his Speech is something slow and broken, but not in so great a Degree as to render him remarkable. He had on when he went away, a dark colour'd Cloth Coat, a white Linen Waistcoat, white Breeches and white Stockings.

Jack, 30 Years (or thereabouts) old, a slim, black, well made Fellow, of near 6 Feet high, a small Face, with Cuts down each Cheek, being his Country Marks, his Feet are large (or long) for he requires a great Shoe: The Cloathing he went off in cannot be well ascertained, but it is thought in his common working Dress; such as Cotton Waistcoat (of which he had a new One) and Breeches, and Osnabrig Shirt.

Neptune, aged 25 or 30, well-set, and of about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, thin jaw'd, his Teeth straggling and fil'd sharp, his Back, if rightly remember'd, has many small Marks or Dots running from both Shoulders down to his Waistband, and his Head was close shaved: Had on a Cotton Waistcoat, black or dark colour'd Breeches, and an Osnabrig Shirt.

Cupid, 23 or 25 Years old, a black well made Fellow, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, round and full faced, with broad Teeth before, the Skin of his Face is coarse, and inclined to be pimpley, he has no other distinguishable Mark that can be recollected; he carried with him his common working Cloaths, and an old Osnabrigs Coat made Frockwise. 2

The two last of these Negroes were bought from an *African* Ship in *August* 1759, and talk very broken and unintelligible *English*; the second one, *Jack*, is Countryman to those, and speaks pretty good *English*, having been several Years in the Country. The other, *Peros*, speaks much better than either, indeed has little of his Country Dialect left, and is esteemed a sensible judicious Negro.

As they went off without the least Suspicion, Provocation, or Difference with any Body, or the least angry Word or Abuse from their Overseers, 'tis supposed they will hardly lurk about in the Neighbourhood, but steer some direct Course (which cannot even be guessed at) in Hopes of an Escape: Or, perhaps, as the Negro *Peros* has lived many Years about *Williamsburg*, and *King-William* County, and *Jack* in *Middlesex*, they may possibly bend their Course to one of those Places.

Whoever apprehends the said Negroes, so that the Subscriber may readily get them, shall have, if taken up in this County, Forty Shillings Reward, beside what the Law allows; and if at any greater Distance, or out of the Colony, a proportionable Recompence paid them, by

GEORGE WASHINGTON.

N. B. If they should be taken separately, the Reward will be proportioned.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1761.

For the Encouragement of the BREED of FINE HORSES:

ON the 14th Day of *October* will be Run for, on the Race Ground called the Center of this City,

A Purse of FIFTY PISTOLES,

Free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, the best of Three Heats, Three Times round the Course each Heat. 2

The Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that winneth any Two Heats, shall be intitled to the Purse.

Any Rider that is detected in jostling, crossing, or using any foul Play, shall be deemed Distanced, and have no Title to the Purse, even tho' he wins the best of Three Heats.

All Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that run for this Purse, are to be shewn and entered at the House of Mr. *Peter Robeson*, at the Sign of the *White Horse* in this City, Four Days before the Race, and to pay Six Dollars Entrance, or Twelve Dollars if entered at the Post.

The Entrance Money will be Run for on the 15th by all the Horses, except the one that wins the Purse, and those that may be Distanced.

SHIPPED by Messieurs *Hanburys* on board the *America*, Capt. *John Lewis*, a Box and a Bundle for Mr. *William Wilkinson*; which are left with Mr. *John Clapham*, Merchant, at *Oxford*, who will, on Receipt of a Letter from that Gentleman, informing him where he resides, forward them to him by the first Opportunity. 3

A LIST of the Numbers which came up PRIZES in the WINCHESTER *LOTTERY.*

Numb. 1739, ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.
Numb. 1842 and 2367, FIFTY POUNDS each.

PRIZES of TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS each,
Numb. 1008, 1752, and 1826.

PRIZES of TEN POUNDS each,
Numb. 418, 567, 704, 939, 1520, and 1809.

PRIZES of FIVE POUNDS each,

59	557	1603	2551
255	581	2150	3271
459	748	2256	3356
497	988	2381	3387

PRIZES of THREE POUNDS each,

385	499	1195	2250	2826
412	813	1602	2469	3050
431	1178	1645	2592	3160
483	1179	1976	2777	3203

PRIZES of FORTY SHILLINGS each,

4	848	1609	2336	2959
50	871	1880	2340	3030
63	1056	2001	2401	3046
67	1113	2026	2601	3157
244	1197	2137	2711	3229
370	1244	2152	2731	3319
634	1391	2307	2802	3376
713	1551	2322	2832	3483

PRIZES of TWENTY SHILLINGS each,

5	279	551	815	1129	1380	1633
6	85	59	21	31	84	65
9	86	66	47	35	88	71
14	89	72	49	46	93	72
16	98	73	50	52	1400	75
21	303	86	51	60	3	78
23	7	88	55	62	5	85
29	11	90	59	71	6	88
33	14	91	62	81	7	91
37	15	92	67	83	8	95
44	21	94	72	88	10	1706
46	23	97	79	89	15	12
48	28	98	80	91	17	13
49	33	602	90	96	18	18
56	40	14	93	1209	20	31
61	42	17	94	13	21	32
73	47	18	902	14	23	33
75	49	19	4	17	24	35
78	50	21	5	18	30	36
94	51	22	15	19	32	40
100	52	27	22	24	37	44
10	53	35	25	26	39	45
16	56	37	34	27	43	47
19	59	38	36	29	44	58
26	63	41	37	30	62	59
30	67	49	38	36	63	61
32	72	54	54	49	67	62
37	75	58	57	52	68	77
38	82	63	62	53	71	81
41	86	67	65	55	76	82
44	96	69	68	57	80	85
45	98	76	69	61	87	86
51	401	78	71	63	89	87
54	5	82	74	65	96	89
55	10	83	76	68	99	95
59	15	84	85	69	1505	1801
61	33	87	93	73	6	2
62	37	95	96	79	7	3
68	40	98	1003	80	9	10
69	43	708	4	81	13	12
78	49	17	16	82	27	17
79	51	21	24	87	33	21
80	56	28	28	92	38	25
82	61	33	29	93	39	31
86	63	35	34	98	48	32
88	67	42	37	1303	52	37
212	72	44	44	7	56	55
14	74	45	45	9	60	60
27	75	54	46	12	64	70
28	78	56	60	20	65	78
31	81	57	62	22	70	82
33	87	61	70	23	72	86
34	95	67	78	32	75	87
42	98	71	80	37	79	88
50	502	73	81	41	86	1903
52	3	74	89	43	88	9
58	7	78	90	45	89	12
68	26	84	92	51	91	22
70	27	87	94	56	93	33
71	29	92	95	57	1619	40
72	38	802	99	59	21	43
74	41	5	1108	77	26	44
78	46	11	14	79	30	50

PRIZES of TWENTY SHILLINGS each,

1951	2167	2362	2638	2858	3077	3300
52	73	63	39	67	78	4
53	76	68	41	68	79	5
59	78	77	43	75	84	7
61	79	92	46	77	85	14
65	80	96	47	78	86	16
68	82	97	50	79	87	17
73	86	2408	51	81	89	38
88	87	13	54	85	90	43
91	93	17	57	95	91	44
98	96	23	76	2903	99	48
2003	98	28	84	6	3104	49
10	99	34	85	9	14	54
11	2206	38	92	11	33	59
15	10	48	98	15	61	66
17	16	50	2702	23	65	67
22	19	53	14	25	72	72
29	23	75	17	34	75	75
30	24	82	24	37	77	79
31	38	84	28	39	89	84
32	40	91	35	40	91	88
36	44	94	36	43	3201	89
38	45	2510	37	46	5	98
39	49	13	39	47	6	3400
42	66	16	44	48	9	6
46	71	22	45	49	10	13
57	73	23	52	51	11	14
58	75	25	53	54	13	16
61	90	26	54	56	17	20
62	94	34	56	65	20	22
64	95	36	59	66	37	24
75	97	43	63	77	40	27
77	2302	46	66	78	44	32
78	3	48	69	79	45	33
81	4	49	75	83	48	40
84	5	54	89	87	57	42
87	8	61	93	90	58	44
88	19	65	2803	91	60	47
93	20	66	5	99	66	52
99	23	75	7	3024	73	56
2104	24	76	10	26	75	58
7	26	82	12	31	77	60
9	27	83	17	34	81	61
15	28	87	20	45	82	62
22	31	2616	27	59	86	66
27	41	20	28	67	87	67
32	[illegible]	22	33	68	89	82
36		27	40	70	91	93
48	54	32	45	72	94	94
61	60	34	52	76	98	97
64	61	37	57			

ROBERT GORDON,
STAY-MAKER, living near the Town-Gate, in ANNAPOLIS,

HAVING juſt Imported in the Fleet from *London*, a large Aſſortment of Stay-Goods, (conſiſting of Tabbies and Whale-Bone of the very beſt Kind) hereby gives Notice to all his old Cuſtomers and Others, That he can now furniſh them with STAYS in the neweſt Faſhion, and of the beſt Materials; and as he has Hands for carrying on his Buſineſs, Cuſtomers and Others will be ſerved in the moſt faithful and expeditious Manner, by *Their humble Servant*, ROBERT GORDON.

He intreats all thoſe who are Indebted to him upon open Accounts of above one Year's ſtanding, to make Payment, that he may be enabled to diſcharge his Debts.

SIX PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the Ship *Dragon*, now lying in *South-River*, *Middleton Belt* Maſter, Three Sailors, *viz.*

Charles Smith, an *Engliſhman*, a tall ſlim Fellow, with a remarkable large Scar on his right Cheek.

Nicholas Forebouſe, a *Dutchman*, ſpeaks a little *French* and broken *Engliſh*, a ſtout Fellow, and wears his own Hair. And,

A Mulatto Fellow, born at the Mouth of *Patuxent* (whither it is imagined he will make the beſt of his Way) very luſty; he goes by the Name of *Benjamin Maſon*.

The Two laſt mentioned left the Ship the Third Inſtant, and took with them a large Canoe, and a Pair of ſmall Boat Oars. *Charles Smith* left her ſome Time paſt in *Pataſco*.

Whoever takes them up, and ſecures them in any Goal, or delivers them to the Subſcriber on board the ſaid Ship, ſhall have the above Reward, or Two Piſtoles for each, paid by

Auguſt 5, 1761. MIDDLETON BELT.

JUST IMPORTED

From London, *in the Ship* Baltimore, *Capt.* Hilbert Hanſon, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Store at the Head of the Dock in* Annapolis, *at reaſonable Rates,*

A PARCEL of the neateſt and neweſt faſhioned Marble Tables, ſuitable for any Gentleman's Room, being of different Sizes, *viz.* from 2 Feet 6 Inches by 1 Foot 10 Inches, to 6 Feet 6 Inches by 3 Feet, and of different Colours, *viz.* black and white, black and yellow, red and white, white and blue, dove colour, *&c. &c. &c.* Alſo Steel Coffee Mills, Hand Mill Stones, Seines from 25 to 35 Fathom long, with Cod-Lines, Leads and Corks. Likewiſe an Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS, ſuitable to Summer and Winter Seaſons. RICHARD MACKUBIN.

N. B. Gold and Silver for Bills.

June 8th, 1761.

STRAYED from the Subſcriber, near *Port-Tobacco* in *Charles* County, on the 23d of laſt Month, a middle-ſiz'd White Horſe, paces naturally, has a bob Tail, and a ridge Mane. Whether he is branded or not, is uncertain. Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have a Reward of Twenty Shillings, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

JOHN HANSON, junior.

Frederick-Town, June 1761.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR raiſing Sixteen Hundred Pieces of Eight, for Building a CHURCH for the Reformed CALVINISTS in *Frederick-Town*, *Frederick* County, to conſiſt of 4000 Tickets at Three Pieces of Eight each, *viz.*

Number of Prizes.		Pieces of Eight.		Total Value.
1	of	500	is	500
2	of	300	are	600
3	of	150	are	450
4	of	100	are	400
10	of	50	are	500
12	of	40	are	480
20	of	30	are	600
35	of	20	are	700
200	of	8	are	1600
900	of	5	are	4500
1187	Prizes.		First drawn Ticket	40
2813	Blanks.		Laſt drawn Ticket	30
			Sum raiſed	1600

4000 Tickets at 3 Dollars each, are 12000

BY the above Scheme there are not 2½ Blanks to a Prize, and the Profits retained are not 15 *per Cent* on the whole.

As a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged, the Drawing will be in *October* next, or ſooner, if ſooner full, in the Court-Houſe of ſaid County, of which ſufficient Notice will be given in this Gazette.

The Managers appointed are, Meſſieurs *Chriſtopher Edelin*, *Stephen Ranſburg*, *James Dickſon*, *Thomas Schley*, *Conrad Groſs*, *Caſper Shaaff*, *Thomas Price*, *Samuel Swearingen*, *Valentine Adam*, and *William Kimbol*, who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Diſcharge of this Truſt.

A Liſt of the Prizes will be publiſhed in this Gazette, as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed; and paid off without any Deduction.

N. B. Seven Shillings and Six-Pence *Pennſylvania* Currency, will be received for each Piece of Eight in the Sale of the Tickets, and the ſame Currency is to paſs upon the ſame Terms in paying off the Prizes.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

WHEREAS the Act of Aſſembly of this Province, made and paſſed in 1733, *for emitting and making current Ninety Thouſand Pounds*, is near Expiring; The Commiſſioners of the Loan Office therefore think it their Duty, to inform all thoſe who have any Bonds in that Office, to come and diſcharge the ſame; otherwiſe they will be proceeded againſt as the Law directs.

Signed per *Order*,
ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

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